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CLUB MEETINGS.

June:- The regular monthly meeting of the Society was held on Wednesday evening, June 7, in the banquet room of the University Commons, University of Washington Campus, President Hall presiding. Previous to the business meeting a dinner in honor of our departing member, Dr. Clinton T. Cooke, was given. Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. The name of Mr. Alex. D. Ghiselin of Spokane was presented for membership and he was duly elected. Bills for postage, etc., to the amount of \$3.75 were approved and ordered paid. The meeting was then thrown open to the members who expressed their regrets and well wishes to Dr. Cooke, who was about to leave Seattle to make his home in Portland, Oregon. Observations and experiences in the field were also given and the meeting closed after deciding not to hold any further meetings until September. Photographs of the Charter members and other members present were taken by Mr. L. D. Lindsley after the meeting adjourned.

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FACT AND COMMENT.

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At the regular meeting held in June the idea of printing in permanent form at the end of the year, the principal articles and notes which have appeared in the Murrelet up to date, was unanimously approved by the members present. A committee was appointed some time ago to investigate the cost of printing and a report is expected from them soon. A provisional estimate, however, is that the price for such publication may be brought down to \$3.00 or \$3.50 per copy to the members of our Society. The publication will contain about one hundred pages. Whether it will be issued in printed form will depend, however, upon the response of all the members as to whether they will give their hearty support toward carrying out the project. The editor would like to receive the pledges of all members who would take a copy.

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Later reports received from Nome, Alaska, state that Capt. Joe Bernard, famous arctic navigator and member of our Society, who was believed lost in the Arctic seas, has arrived safely in Nome after being caught in the ice and marooned on an island in the Arctic Ocean off the coast of Siberia.

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We are glad to learn of the escape from serious injury of our vice president, J. Hooper Bowles of Tacoma, when a real automobile contested the right of way with him on the streets of Tacoma. He was thrown under the machine, the front wheels passing over his shoulder. Through some marvelous fortune the rear wheels stopped a few feet short of Mr. Bowles' neck. His friends seriously doubt the veracity of his protestations as to his condition at the time of the accident, as they declare no man in the prime of health would have escaped so miraculously.

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